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1. THE SENATE APPROVED LAST NIGHT BY 48 TO 36 AN AMENDMENT BY SENATOR HUMPHREY CALLING FOR A REDUCTION OF 110,000 IN FOREIGN-BASED FORCES, WITH 40,000 TO BE WITHDRAWN IN THE FIRST YEAR AND THE BALANCE BY DECEMBER 31, 1975. NO FURTHER AMENDMENTS CALLING FOR OVERSEAS FORCE REDUCTIONS ARE EXPECTED DURING THE REMAINDER OF THE SENATE'S DEBATE ON THE DEFENSE PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION BILL.

2. THE HUMPHREY AND JACKSON-NUNN AMENDMENTS WILL NOW GO TO A HOUSE-SENATE CONFERENCE ALONG WITH OTHER PARTS OF THE BILL. AN AMENDMENT VERY SIMILAR TO SENATOR HUMPHREY'S WAS DEFEATED IN THE HOUSE ON JULY 31 BY A VOTE OF 242 TO 163. KISSINGER

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